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A question concerning airfoil lift at the typersonic speeds of flight attracts increasing attention of the researchers. In the literature are discussed the projects of the orbital flight vehicles, capable of completing descent from the trajectory of satellite, the manuvering flight in the atmosphere and tpuchdown with the aid of wings with variable geometry [1]. Actual/urgent becomes the problem of the creation of hypersonic aircraft:

In connection with the tasks indicated in recent years, will arise considerable interest in the study of flow around of the wings at high supersonic velocities. Investigations are conducted in two main directions: is studied the hypersonic flow around of the wings of traditional form (fine/thin wings of triangular and of other planforms) is conducted the search of the new forms of the layouts of these possessing optimum aerodynamic or thermal characteristics. The

last/latter direction includes numerous studies of flow around of the wings with V-shaped cross section. Initially was studied the special class of V-shaped wings, corresponding to flow with the plane shock wave, connected to leading edges [2, 3]. To the experimental check of this simple diagram of flow and its modifications was dedicated the whole series of works [4-14].

Subsequently were found an additional two classes of the exact solutions, corresponding to flow around V-shaped wings with regular and Mach interaction of shock waves [15, 16]. Each the type of flows were observed experimentally [17 - 19]:

By the important result of investigations \scribshaped wings was the establishment of the high value of their lift-drag ratio [15], noticeably exceeding the maximum quality of equivalent in volume wing with elliptical cross section. The high value of lift-drag ratio was reveal/detected, also, in calculations of V-shaped wings, streamlined with plane wave [20]. One of the authors of present article was carried out calculation on the basis of Newton's theory taking into account concentrated forces [21], that showed that wing of V-shaped form during some limitations (for example, with the assigned lift and volume) has the maximum value of lift-drag ratio at expansion angles less than 180°. As illustration to this calculation Fig. 1 depicts the dependence of lift-drag ratio on the expansion angle of wing \$\infty\$

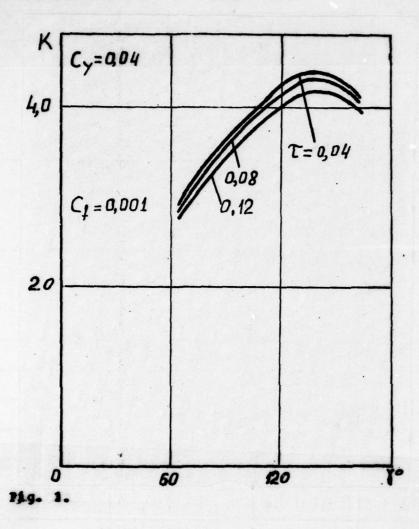
under assigned lift  $C_V$  referred to wing area in plan/layout S, for several values of relative volume  $7 \cdot V/5 \cdot 3/2$ , It is evident that the maximum value of quality corresponds to the expansion angle of ~140°.

This work is dedicated to the experimental study of flow around V-shared wings over a wide range of a change in the geometric parameters. On the basis of the obtained results, are analyzed the possible patterns of flow around of the wings, is determined the distribution of pressure on the wing surface and the shock configuration. With the aid of weight measurements is located the dependence of lift-drag ratio on expansion angle of V-shaped wing.

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In the first group of experiments, was studied the flow about the drain/vented models of V-shaped wings during a change in the expansion angle of wings from 0° to 180°, angle of attack from 0° to 15° and number M=4. The first results of these experiments were published in work [19].

Construction made it possible to rotate one half of wing relative to another and to change with this expansion angle (Fig. 2). The resovable parts of the wing, carried out in the form of triangular plates with pointed edges, could be removed and were replaced by others.



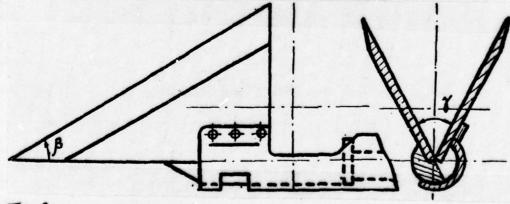


Fig . 2.

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For testings were made three steel models of V-shaped wings with apex angles  $\beta$ , by the respectively equal to 30° - model No 1, 35° - No 2 and 40° - No 3. The length of trailing edge of all models of wings was identical and it was 335 mm.

Bor the study of flow pattern between sings after model, was establish/installed the ccst/rack, measuring the total pressures. Tubes in ccsb/rack were arrange/located in the plane of the symmetry of wing at a distance of 20 mm from its rear section/shear. Model was establish/installed in the forward section of the optical window, and field of flow was studied on trace after model (Fig. 3). The position of jump system was determined by ratio h/R, where h - a distance from the axis of model to gallop in the plane of the symmetry of wings, measured in the section of rear section/shear, R - a distance in this same section from axis to wing edge. In Fig. 4 are constructed the graph/diagrams of the dependence of value h/R from expansion angle y for model No 1. Each curve corresponds to the specific angle of attack. Unbroken curve are connected the experimental points, corresponding in the photographs of the brightest intersection of jumps, In series of experiments, were observed several intersections

of the jumps of those noted in Fig. 4 by small circles. Dot-dash curved is shown the position of the projection of leading wing edge in the plane of symmetry during a change in the expansion angle. With the approach of wings, shock wave gradually will move away from axis.

It is of interest to explain, which flow conditions are realized during the consecutive decrease of expansion angle, beginning from flat/plane delta wing ( $\gamma=180^{\circ}$ ) and terminating understand by the complete approach of wings ( $\gamma=0$ ). The interpretation of photographs showed that are realized several types of flow with different shock envelopes (Fig. 5).

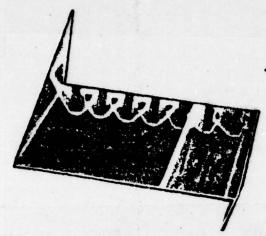


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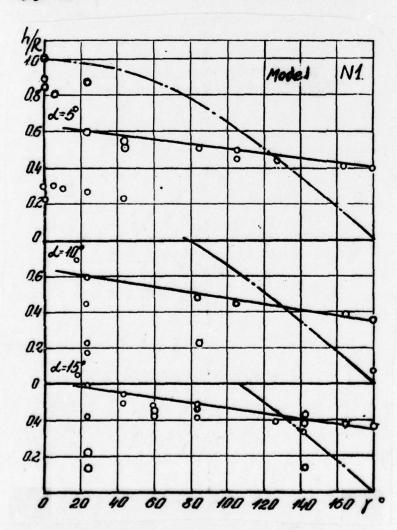
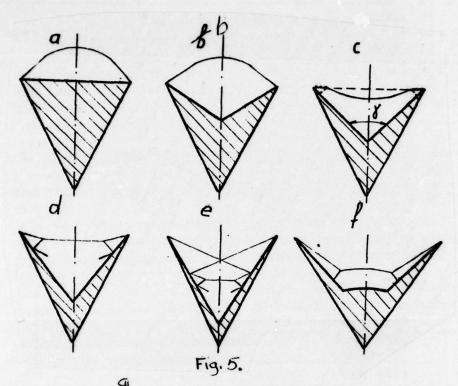


Fig. 4.



At large expansion angles (beginning from 180°) flow it coccurs with one leading wave, connected to leading wing edges (a). With it decreases, and it is neved measure to the surface of wing (b). Further decrease of angle  $\gamma$  leads to the pattern of flow with almost plane wave (c), moreover at the special values of the parameters wave stops in the accuracy of plane. Let us note, that the interpretation of the photographs, which correspond to pattern (c), allow/assumes two passible systems of jumps. One of them is shown by solid line, another — a dotted line. Flow conditions when jump system wholly is between wings, are shown on Fig. 5d and 5c.

The type of flow, following it is direct after flow with almost step shock (Fig. 5c), it has the three-dimensional/space configuration of Mach type jumps. For some wings is demonstrated the possibility of flow with the Mach system of step shocks [22]. In the general case the jumps are tent and, besides Mach system, are present the jumps reflected, which interact between themselves.

Bigure 5e, corresponds to the regular intersection of jumps. This picture of flow displaces the Mach configuration of waves during further approach of wings. Here just as in the preceding case, appears the complex system of jumps reflected and secondary imteractions. According to the shadqwgraphs, the flow of the type indicated is retained to the very low values of angle 7 (order of 30), after which under conditions of the carried out experiments the range between wings is filled with boundary layer, and supersonic flow is destroyed. During, transitica to other acdels of the pattern of flows, besides angle 7, they will depend substantially from one more parameter as which it is possible to take relation to the cross-sectional area of model (shaded range in Fig. 5) to the area of the clearance between wings in the plane of normal velocity of incident flow. Let us designate this parameter through A. At preset angle  $\gamma$ , the value of the parameter  $\lambda$  for all acdels changed from 0 (a=0°) to certain value, corresponding to the angle of attack of a= 150.

According to experiments, at angles of 130% (< 180° topological structure of flow was retained for all \( \lambda \) from this range. At smaller angles \( \gamma \) with an increase in the parameter \( \lambda \), additionally appeared the jumps repeatedly reflected from walls, Experiments showed that in the range of low values \( \lambda \) with increase the last/latter system of the jumps, limiting the range of disturbed flow, approaches a body surface. However, beginning with certain value \( \lambda \) [18], is realized inverse dependence. With the assigned Mach rumber, one or the other pattern of flow depending on values \( \lambda \) will be realized in the substantially different range of angles \( \gamma \). In particular, the comparison of data shows that the decrease of the values of the parameter \( \lambda \) makes it possible to increase the range of expansion angles \( \gamma \), as a result of which occurs of flow of the type 5d and 5e. Everything said is related to the case of the leading wave, connected to leading edge.

In the process of experiment, together with optical investigation, were conducted the measurements of the distribution of pressure on the surface of models and distributions of the total pressure in trace. If we designate distance from the axis of model to drainage point in this section through & and distance in this section from axis to wing edge through B, then constant value 2/R

will decrespond to points, by the lying/horizontal on one straight line, passing through the arex/vertex of models.

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Figure 6 gives the experimental values of the coefficient of pressure  $C_{\rho}$  for model to 2 depending on value 7. On each curve/graph are constructed the curves  $C_{\rho}$  for the angles of attack of  $a=5^{\circ}$ , 10°, 15° at the fixed value of expansion angle  $\gamma$ . Let us observe the behavior of these curved during the successive approximation wings from  $\gamma=180^{\circ}$  to  $20^{\circ}$ .

Buring, the complete deployment of wings and low angles of attack, the pressure on spread/scope is retained approximately constant. An increase in the angle of attack leads to pressure rise on wing, moreover at angles a=10 and  $15^\circ$  durve  $\mathcal{C}_\rho$  consists of two sections: the section of the elevated pressure, which begins from leading edge, and the section of reduced pressure about the plane of the symmetry of wings. Similar distribution of pressure is observed to angle into expansion/disclosures  $\gamma=160^\circ$  (Fig. 6).

Further approach of wirgs qualitatively changes the character of pressure distribution. In the range of angles of  $\gamma=20-120^\circ$  (Fig. 6) the distribution curve of pressure consists of several steps of

constant pressure, arrange/located on section the adjacent the edge, transition section and section near the plane of the symmetry of wing.

On the whole, the effect of expansion angle on pressure distribution is convenient to trace in Fig. 7, where are represented the distribution curves of pressure for model No. 2 at the angle of attack of  $g=15^{\circ}$ .

The analysis of experimental data also showed that im the zone of minimum pressure, adjacent to edge, the expansion/disclosure of mings evenly raises pressure, and if at the angle of attack of  $\alpha=5^{\circ}$  this increase oscillates within limits (0,005<  $C_{\rho}$  <0,07), then at the angle of attack of  $\alpha=15^{\circ}$  value of the coefficient of pressure grow/rises from 0.02 to 0.25.

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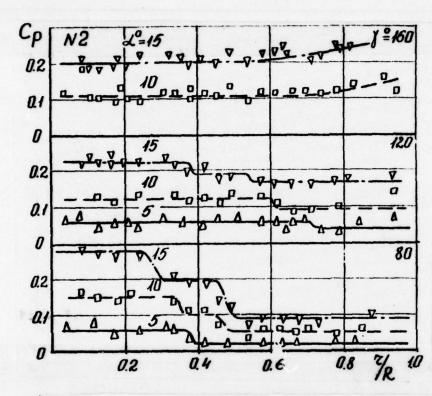


Fig. 6.

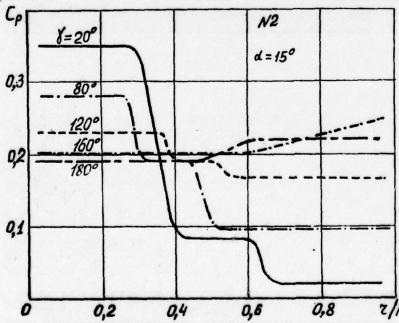
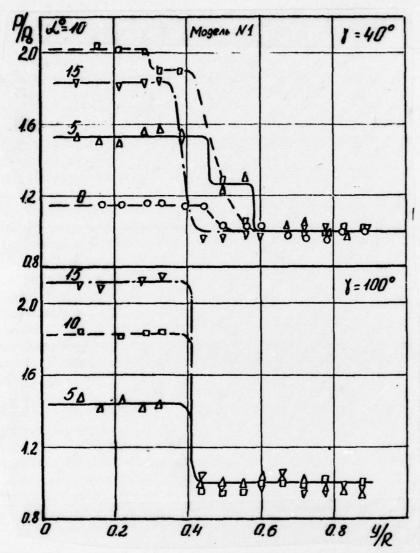


Fig. 7.



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With the approach of wings, the extent of high-pressure zone

decreases, and the value of maximum pressure monotonically increases. The most essential pressure increment occurs at the angle of attack of  $\alpha=15^{\circ}$ , pressure coefficient in this case reaches values  $C_{p}=0.35$ .

Let us now move on to the short characteristic of field of flow in the plane of the symmetry of wings which was measured with the aid of the comb/rack of the total pressure. Taking into account that directly for model it is retained conical flow, can be on the measurements total pressures in trace judged their values in the range between wings.

The values of the pressures, measured by ccmb/rack, they were expressed in dimensionless form in the form  $P/P_o$  where P - the total pressure, measured by tube;  $P/P_o$  - the total pressure after normal shock in the undisturbed flow. Figures 8 gives the dependences of relation  $P/P_o$  on value y/R (model 1). Here y - distance from the axis of model to tube in the section of continuation of wing edge.

The location of experimental points indicates that at the large expansion angles of models (to  $\gamma=80^{\circ}$ ) the pressure in the plane of the symmetry of wings is changed abruptly, taking different constant values on individual sections. The first low-pressure section corresponds to the range of the undisturbed flow, the second section

cf elevated pressure is formed as a result of occuperating the shock waves and reaches the axis of model. With the post of angle of attack, the pressure on the second section is raised.

At small expansion angles, pressure distribution qualitatively retains its form; however, high-pressure area decomposes on several sections of constant pressure.

Compare the now findings on pressure distribution and on the field of the total pressures with the optical picture of flow, described above. Let us examine first the large expansion angles of wings, Then, according to shadow photographs, is only one leading shock wave, connected to wing edges. Within flow there are no visible jumps, This conclusion/derivation is confirmed by smooth curve of the distribution of pressure on wall, and also by diagram/curve of the total pressure in the plane of the symmetry of flow.

At expansion angles less than 120-140°, is realized the Mach configuration of jumps in space. It is real/actual, the field of the total pressures in the plane of the symmetry of wings corresponds to the flow, passed through one jump, and the distribution of pressure or wall represents curve, that consists of two sections of constant pressure with the sharp transition, which corresponds to the leg of wave, arrange/located within flow. The secondary jumps, reflected

from wall, weak and do not give a noticeable change in the pressure and entropy.

At expansion angles 7 less than 80°, essential become secondary reflections from the walls which are exhibited noticeably on the curve/graph of the distribution of pressure. The number of sections of constant pressure now becomes more than two and grow/rises during decrease 7. The future of the expansion angle of wings leads to the replacement of Mach interaction of jumps regular. Conclusion this escape/ensues from the analysis of the disturbed field of the total pressures, in which the pressure recovery proves to be above than the theoretical optimum pattern, which contains by the soythe also of the normal shock.

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It is interesting to acte that for small angles  $\gamma$  ( $\gamma$ =20°) in range it is lower than the intersection of the jumps, which go from leading edges, the noticeable increases of the total pressure reveal/detected and only secondary and subsequent intersections of jumps form the zones of the high values of the quantity indicated. This special feature/peculiarity appears in connection with the decrease of the intensity of the connected to leading edges jumps during the decrease of angle  $\gamma$ .

In experiments the field of the total pressures was determined for purpose of the refinement of the picture of the flow between wings, However, these data have independent interest in connection with the possible use of compression of flow on lifting surfaces as the preliminary stage of air diffusion before the entrance into jet engine. The results of experiment showed that or tested V-shaped wings recovery factor higher than in the patters of optimum plane diffuser with oblique and acreal shocks although, apparently, is still distant from the optimum value which it is possible to achieve by the special selection of the geometric parameters of wings.

Bet us now move on to the examination of experiments in the measurement of the forces, which act on V-shaped wings, with the aid of aerodynamic balances. Models for this series of experimental experiments (Fig. 9) represented the combination of fine/thin central come (with the half-angle equal to 7°) with two rigidly attached on it delta wings (angle between the leading wing edge and the axis of cone was 30°) a Testings were conducted on three-component strain-gauge balances by standard proceduse. The aerodynamic characteristics of models are obtained in the range of the angles of attack of a=1-150. The accuracy of experiments (ras error) during the use of the three-component of strain scales indicated comprised:

15c, 1 max = 3+5%, 16c, 1 = 4+6%, 16c, 1 = 0,7+0,8%.

Here  $C_n$  - the coefficient of acrual force,  $C_T$  - the coefficient of force of periphery,  $C_{\underline{1}}$  - the center-of-pressure coefficient. Experiments were conducted at the velocity of incident flow, corresponding to number 856.

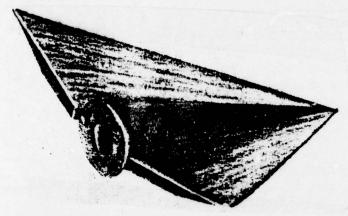
Tested 4 models with the expansion angles of V-shaped wing of y=180°, 170°, 160°, 150°. It should be noted that the pattern of flow about these models will not correspond, described it is above, for large expansion angles on two reasons: due to the bracket, prepared in the form of slender come and hypersonic velocity of incident flow. As a result the type of flow will correspond that shown on Fig. 5f.

In the second group of experiments, were measured normal and axial components of the total aerodynamic force, acting on the model, and the pitching moment in the coordinate system, connected with weights. According to the results of measurements, were designed the coefficients of the frontal  $C_x$  and lift  $C_y$  of forces, the lift-drag ratio K and the center-of-pressure location models.

Test data are represented in Fig. 1Q in the form of dependences  $C_x$ ,  $C_y = f(\alpha)$ . During the calculation of aerodynamic coefficients  $C_x$  and  $C_y$  for characteristic area, was accepted the area of the

midsection of model. It should be noted that the model with angle of 7.7170° has larger resistance than delta wing. This is connected with the fact that during the production of this model were allowed the deviations from intended sizes.

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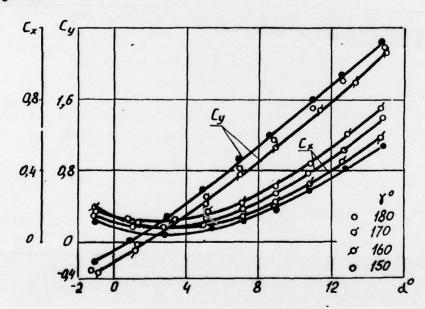


Fig. 10.

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The obtained results attest to the fact that with the decrease of the expansion angle of V-shaped wing the value of drag coefficient from the decrease of expansion angle falls. As a result lift-drag ratio with decrease of angle  $\gamma$  from 180° to 150° increases by 20-300/o in comparison with the maximum quality of delta wing (Fig. 11). Since the amount of lift does not in effect depend on the expansion angle of wing (Fig. 10), also in the class of the wing equivalents with the constant value of lift, the decrease of expansion angle will lead to the increase of lift-drag ratio.

Center of pressure in limits of accuracy of experiment is not virtually changed during a change in the expansion angle of wing and it is arrange/located from the apex/vertex of wing to its 0.68 mean chord, which will coincide with the results of the tests of cones and delta wings at supersonic speeds of flow.

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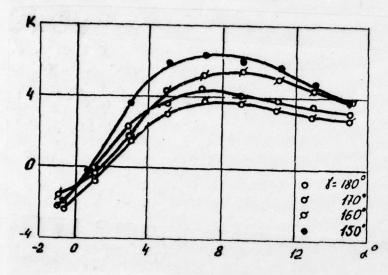


Fig. 11.

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In conclusion let us emphasize that an increase in lift-drag ratio of V-shaped wing with the decrease of angle  $\gamma$  occurs not due to the increase of airfoil lift, while in essence as a result of the decrease of its resistance, i.e., appears the same effect, which leads to the low values of resistance of body with the star-shaped form of cross section.

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